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My dear Mr. McCone:

The tenth annual National Civil Service League Career Service Awards Dinner will be held on the evening of Tuesday, April the fourteenth, 1964 at the Sheraton-Park Hotel.

It is a distinct pleasure to inform you that Mr. James Seldin Lay, Jr., whom you nominated, has been selected by our Board of Judges from among 100 candidates to receive a Career Service Award at this dinner.

On behalf of the League, I wish to extend a most cordial invitation to you to honor us with your presence at the Head Table and to participate in giving this Award. We shall also be honored to have Mrs. McCone as a guest of the League on this occasion. She will be seated at a table of a League member. Dress will be black tie for the Head Table guests.

The National Civil Service League annually presents Career Service Awards to the outstanding people in the Federal Government to recognize and encourage excellence in the public service. These awards now in their tenth year have been uniquely successful in sparking enthusiasm for higher government performance and in enhancing the prestige of the Federal service.

Mr. R. Sargent Shriver, Jr. has graciously accepted our invitation to be the Speaker at the dinner. Other guests of honor to be seated with you at the Head Table include the awardees and Government and civic leaders.

We of the National Civil Service League sincerely hope that you and your wife find it possible to attend, and I shall look forward to hearing from you.

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Bernard L. Gladieux, Chairman

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Mr. Bernard L. Gladieux Chairman National Civil Service League 1629 K Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Gladieux:

Thank you for your letter of 5 March to Mr. McCone who is out of the city and will not be back until sometime late next week.

We are most happy to learn that Mr. Lay has been selected to receive the National Civil Service League Career Service Award.

We will of course call your letter to Mr. McCone's attention upon his return and he will be in touch in regard to your kind invitation for him and Mrs. McCone to attend the dinner on 14 April.

Faithfully yours,

Marshall S. Carter Lieutenant General, USA Acting Director

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